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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re:		:	
		•	Chapter 11
HAROLD ADAMO, JR.,		:	
,		•	Case No.: 14-73640
	Debtor.	:	
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# LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 1007-4 AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEW YORK	)
	SS.
COUNTY OF NEW YORK	)

Harold Adamo, Jr., being duly sworn, deposes and states:

- 1. I am the debtor herein (the "Debtor") and I submit this affidavit pursuant to Rule 1007-4 of the Local Rules of this Court.
- 2. I intend to file a voluntary Chapter 11 petition with the clerk of this court on August 6, 2014.
  - 3. There is no other or prior bankruptcy case filed by or against me.
- 4. There has not been a committee of creditors organized prior to the order for relief in this Chapter 11 case. This case is not a small business debtor within the meaning of § 101(51D) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 5. I am filing this Chapter 11 case in order to obtain a breathing spell from the highly aggressive and over the top collection action taken by Rocco Marini and Josephine Marini

(the "Marinis") who obtained a large judgment against me for in excess of \$11 million plus prejudgment interest after a bench trial before the Honorable Joseph F. Bianco, U.S.D.J. The judgment stems from an alleged fraud which Judge Bianco found that I perpetrated on the Marini's in connection with investments in rare coins. I strongly believe Judge Bianco's decision was against the weight of the evidence and I am actively pursuing an appeal to the Second Circuit. In the meantime, as I cannot afford to bond the judgment, the Marinis have served approximately eighty (80) information subpoenas upon numerous of my business associates as well as my children's schools and banks seeking to obtain information to enforce the judgment. The Marinis even went as far as to serve subpoenas on boutiques where my wife has either frequented or her friends own. These subpoenas included pictures of my children and sought information as to whether my family members have recently shopped at these stores. The Marini's served information subpoenas and deposition notices on at least one of my neighbors and have recently interviewed at length, one of my neighbors, presumably seeking to find information which may lead to the discovery of assets. Counsel for the Marinis knows full well that I cannot possibly fully satisfy the judgment but is proceeding solely to harass and embarrass my family and myself and prevent me from making a living in the only field I have been working in for over thirty (30) years. I intend to utilize the chapter 11 process to afford me a breathing spell from this harassment pending the outcome of the appeal. If I am unsuccessful in obtaining relief from the Second Circuit, I am hopeful that the chapter 11 process with its required transparency will lead to a reasonable settlement based upon the pool of potential assets available to satisfy the judgment.

6. Attached hereto as **Exhibit "1"** is a list of my twenty (20) largest unsecured creditors, excluding insiders.

- 7. A list of my five (5) largest secured creditors is annexed hereto as **Exhibit 2**.
- 8. A list of my assets and liabilities will be filed within the next few days.
- 9. None of my properties are in the possession or custody of any public officer, receiver, trustee, pledgee, assignee of rents, liquidator, secured creditor, or agent of any such person.
  - 10. I reside at 207 Bengeyfield Drive, East Williston, New York 11596.
- 11. My assets consist primarily of my ownership interest in various family limited partnerships which own various parcels of real estate located in New York, including my primary residence. I also have a retirement account which is exempt from creditors.
- 12. Aside from the litigation referenced above, which has proceeded to a judgment, I am a named defendant in a recently filed fraudulent conveyance action which has been consolidated with the original litigation. In the fraudulent conveyance action, the Marini's are seeking to undo certain transfers of property to various family limited partnerships. To the best of my knowledge, I am not a party to any other litigation.
- 13. I intend to continue in the operation of my businesses and management of my property pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 11 of the United States Code.

14. I am currently employed by Bullion Shark, LLC a limited liability company owned by my son Nicholas. To the extent funds are available, I receive a weekly salary of \$3,000. I expect to have cash disbursements of approximately \$12,000 in the next thirty days to pay my ordinary living expenses.

/s/ Harold Adamo, Jr.
Harold Adamo, Jr.

Sworn to before me this 6th day of August, 2014

/s/ Elizabeth Ellen Zaikowski
Notary Public

Elizabeth Ellen Zaikowski Notary Public, State of New York No. 01ZA618127 Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires January 28, 2016 B4 (Official Form 4) (12/07)

#### **EXHIBIT 1**

#### United States Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of New York

In re	Harold Adamo, Jr.	_	Case No.	14-73640
		Debtor(s)	Chapter	11

# LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

Following is the list of the debtor's creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims. The list is prepared in accordance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(d) for filing in this chapter 11 [or chapter 9] case. The list does not include (1) persons who come within the definition of "insider" set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 101, or (2) secured creditors unless the value of the collateral is such that the unsecured deficiency places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims. If a minor child is one of the creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See 11 U.S.C. § 112; Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code	Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Amount of claim [if secured, also state value of security]
American Express	American Express	Credit Card Debt	Unliquidated	90,000.00
PO Box 1270	PO Box 1270			
Newark, NJ 07101	Newark, NJ 07101	<b>.</b>	11	18,000.00
American Express Business	American Express Business	Business Debt	Unliquidated	10,000.00
PO Box 1270	PO Box 1270			
Newark, NJ 07101	Newark, NJ 07101		Unliquidated	48,000.00
Bank of America	Bank of America	Business Loan	Uniiquidated	46,000.00
PO Box 45144	PO Box 45144			
Jacksonville, FL 32232	Jacksonville, FL 32232	Credit Card Debt	Unliquidated	33,000.00
Black Card Visa	Black Card Visa	Credit Card Debt	Umquidated	33,000.00
PO Box 8801	PO Box 8801			
Wilmington, DE 19899	Wilmington, DE 19899	Credit Card Debt	Unliquidated	20,000.00
Chase Mastercard	Chase Mastercard	Credit Card Debt	Umquidated	20,000.00
PO Box 15153	PO Box 15153			
Wilmington, DE 19886	Wilmington, DE 19886	Credit Card Debt	Unliquidated	19,000.00
Citibank Mastercard	Citibank Mastercard	Credit Card Debt	Umquidated	13,000.00
PO Box 183071	PO Box 183071			
Columbus, OH 43218	Columbus, OH 43218	Judgment	Disputed	20,000,000.00
Rocco & Josephine Marini	Rocco & Josephine Marini	Juagment	Disputed	20,000,000.00
11 Deep Woods Ct.	11 Deep Woods Ct.			
Old Westbury, NY 11568	Old Westbury, NY 11568	Legal Fees	Disputed	800,000.00
Schlam Stone & Dolan	Schlam Stone & Dolan	Legai rees	Disputed	000,000.00
26 Broadway	26 Broadway			
New York, NY 10004	New York, NY 10004	Credit Card Debt	Unliquidated	4,000.00
Sears Citibank MasterCard	Sears Citibank MasterCard	Credit Card Debt	Offitquidated	4,500.00
PO Box 183082	PO Box 183082			
Columbus, OH 43218	Columbus, OH 43218			

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LIST OF	CREDITORS HOLDING 2		RED CLAIMS	
	(Continua)	tion Sheet)		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code	Name, telephone number and comple mailing address, including zip code, employee, agent, or department of cr familiar with claim who may be conto	of debt, bank loan, editor government contract,	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Amount of clain [if secured, als. state value of security]
	DECLARATION UNDER ON BEHALF OF A CORPO	R PENALTY OF PERJ RATION OR PARTNI	URY ERSHIP	
I, <b>Harold A</b> list and that it is true	damo, Jr., the debtor in this case, de and correct to the best of my information.	clare under penalty of perjury ation and belief.	that I have read the	foregoing
Date August 6, 2014	Signature	/s/ Harold Adamo, Jr. Harold Adamo, Jr. Debtor		

Penalty for making a false statement or concealing property: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.

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#### **EXHIBIT 2**

#### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Eastern District of New York

In re:	
	Chapter 11
HAROLD ADAMO, JR.,	_
	Case No. 14-73640
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### LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 5 LARGEST SECURED CLAIMS

Following is a list of the debtor's creditors holding the 5 largest secured claims. The list is prepared in accordance with Rule 1007-4(a)(vi) of the Local Rules of this court for the filing in this Chapter 11 case.

NAME, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS (INCLUDING ZIP CODE) OF EMPLOYEE, AGENT, OR DEPARTMENT (IF DIFFERENT FROM MAILING ADDRESS) OF CREDITOR FAMILIAR WITH CLAIM	AMOUNT OF CLAIM	DESCRIPTION AND EST. VALUE OF COLLATERAL SECURING CLAIM
Bank of the West P.O. Box 4024 Alameda, CA 94501	\$72,000.00	Lien on 2014 Monterey 288SS Boat
	NUMBER AND COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS (INCLUDING ZIP CODE) OF EMPLOYEE, AGENT, OR DEPARTMENT (IF DIFFERENT FROM MAILING ADDRESS) OF CREDITOR FAMILIAR WITH CLAIM Bank of the West P.O. Box 4024	NUMBER AND COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS (INCLUDING ZIP CODE) OF EMPLOYEE, AGENT, OR DEPARTMENT (IF DIFFERENT FROM MAILING ADDRESS) OF CREDITOR FAMILIAR WITH CLAIM  Bank of the West P.O. Box 4024  AMOUNT OF CLAIM  572,000.00

# DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

I, Harold Adamo, Jr., named as debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing list of creditors holding the five (5) largest secured claims and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Dated:	New York, New York
	August 6, 2014

/s/ Harold Adamo, Jr.
Harold Adamo, Jr.